Mr. P. V. Raphael.—Only very rarely such concessions have been granted.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—On whose recommendation may I know was this representation given to this individual for this Panchayat?

Mr. P. V. Raphael.—On the recommendation of my Inspector and on my own personal enquiries.

Vacancies of Copyists in the Registration Department.

68. **Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.**—Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether any permanent vacancy of copyist clerk arose in the Registration Department in the first 10 months of 1109;

(b) whether there were applicants from amongst the unpassed copyists of the Magistrate's Courts for any of these vacancies;

(c) whether any of the applicants have been appointed to the Registration Department as desired?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—(a) Yes. Five vacancies arose.

(b) Yes.

(c) No. Clerks, who were officiating continuously in the vacancies, were confirmed.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—With reference to (c) May I know whether any new hands were appointed?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—No; there was no chance.

Mr. K. G. Nayar.—Has the Government received any representation from the copyists to consider their claims when vacancies arise in the Registration Department?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—Yes.

Mr. K. G. Nayar.—Is that matter engaging the attention of the Government?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—It is on the basis of this that it was ordered that these people should be drafted to the Registration Department.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Was any representation made to the Government by the Superintendent of Registration against the order of the Government to appoint these unpassed copyists of the Magisterial Department?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—I do not think it is a representation against that order. There have been complaints that some of these vacancies should have been filled by the unpassed candidates in the Magisterial Department. Then he reported that it could not be done because there were people who were acting there who had to be given preference.

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Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—May I know whether the original order of the Government will stand?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—It will stand.

Road from Vyttila ferry up to Eroor—delay in the completion of.

69. **Mr. P. Raman Menon.**—Will the Government be pleased to state the reason for the delay in completing the road from the Vyttila ferry up to the Eroor Road?

Mr. P. V. Raphael.—There is no delay in the execution of the work. It is being attended to year by year.

Opening of a canal in Eroor.

70. **Mr. P. Raman Menon.**—Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether the Government have received a petition dated 14th Karkadagam 1108, from Elambramkotath Manakkal Narayanan Nambooripad and others with reference to the opening of a canal in Eroor to avoid floods ;

(b) if the answer is in the affirmative, what action has the Government taken in the matter ;

(c) whether the Government is aware of the great hardship caused to the public every year on account of the heavy floods ?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—(a) Yes.

(b) The work requested for is being investigated by the P. W. D.

(c) No.

Names of factories inspected by the Inspector of Factories.

71. **Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.**—Will the Government be pleased to state the number and names of factories inspected by the Inspector of factories in 1109 and 1108 ?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—90 Factories were inspected by the Inspector of Factories in 1108 and 94 Factories in 1109. A statement showing the names of factories inspected by the Inspector of Factories in 1108 and 1109 and the number of times the Inspector inspected each of these factories is appended. (*Appendix V*).

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Is this Inspector of Factories who inspected these factories still an Inspector of Factory? This power of inspection was given to the Director of Public Health. So does he continue to be the Inspector of Factories even now?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—I think he has also got the

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